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In re Application of)
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FIRST REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (2 MONTHS)
TO REPLY TO OFFICIAL ACTION


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Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the three-month shortened statutory period for response to the Office Action dated be extended two months to 25 February 2003, under 37 CFR 1.136(a). No extension had been previously requested.

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Respectfully submitted,



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